

SENIOR SERVICE REPORT
JANUARY 2010

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LUNCH- 513
TRANSPORTATION-302
DANCE MUSIC- 133
FLOWERS FOR EVERYONE- 6
BLOOD PRESSURE CHECK- 66
SENIOR STRENGTH- 79

Upcoming Special Programs for February include: “Flowers for Everyone” with the theme of “falling in love with flowers”, Chair Massages, Manicures and a Valentine Party with a special dessert. The chorus will also start practice again.

Participated in a “webinar” with Edna Kurtzman, YMCA, Active Older Adult Coordinator, called “My Senior Center”. The program pertained to improving operations at the senior center by using a software based management system that tracked attendance, activities, and sign up for events, fees etc. The system also generates reports on programs and operations. This system is the wave of the future and maybe something to look into for the Center at some point.

Sarah Silver, Outreach Coordinator, has increased her hours to 19 hours per week, taking over some of the hours that Jackie Thomas worked before retiring in December 2009. Previously Sarah worked 10 hours per week.

The Center hired a new meal site employee through the SER (Senior Employment and Redevelopment) Program. Mr. Carl Palumbo, works 20 hours per week and started on January 14, 2010. The Department of Labor and stimulus money funds this program.

The clerical assistant at the Center, Muriel Borges, resigned her position as of January 28, 2010.

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